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Re: U.S. Patent Application for

Title: Glucagon Antagonists/Inverse Agonists

Applicants: Madsen et al

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The benefit of application no. 09/996,023 filed on November 16, 2001 in the U.S. is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120.

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